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In re the Application of:

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For:

ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT GENERATING A TRANSMIT FREQUENCY (as amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please DELETE "ARRANGEMENT".

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please REPLACE the pending specification with the substitute specification attached hereto.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel without prejudice or disclaimer claims 1-15 in the underlying PCT application. Please also cancel claims 1-15 without prejudice or disclaimer and ADD new claims 16-30 in accordance with the following:

16. (NEW) An electronic circuit for generating a transmit frequency for a transceiver comprising:

a controllable oscillator to generate an output at an oscillator frequency;

a divider, coupled to said controllable oscillator, to produce an output with a frequency 1/N of the oscillator frequency; and